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TEMPERATURE BY WAY OF A
TRANSLUMINALLY INSERTABLE HEAT
EXCHANGE CATHETER

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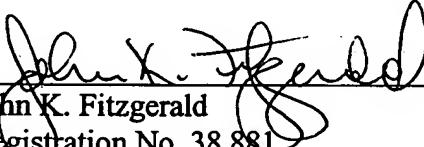
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